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Application Number	09/972,626
Filing Date	October 5, 2001
First Named Inventor	Toyoharu Oohata
Group Art Unit	3729
Examiner Name	Donghai D. Nguyen
Attorney Docket Number	09792909-5236

### ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

Transmitted herewith is (1) Request for RCE Transmittal (2) Credit Card Payment Form (3) Response to January 7, 2004 Final Office Action (4) Post Card Receipt.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	-	20	0	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$9.00 <input type="checkbox"/> x \$18.00	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	7	-	5	2	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$42.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x \$86.00	\$0
	APPLICATION AMENDED TO CONTAIN ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS NOT PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR.			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$140.00 <input type="checkbox"/> x \$280.00 ONE TIME	\$172.00
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$172.00

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated January 7, 2004 by 3 month(s) for a fee of \$950.00 so that the period for response is extended to July 7, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321.

The amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321 is included in the enclosed check.

The amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(b) is included in the enclosed check.

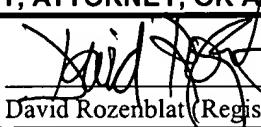
The enclosed credit card payment form to charge the amount of \$1892.00 covers the additional claim fees; extension fee; and Request for RCE.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

### SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

14.  Customer No. 26263

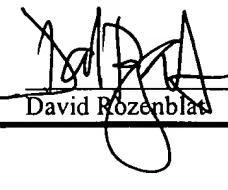
Dated: July 7, 2004

  
David Rozenblat (Registration No. 47,044)

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated below.

Dated: July 7, 2004

  
David Rozenblat